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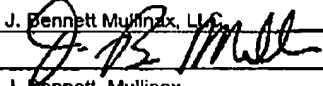
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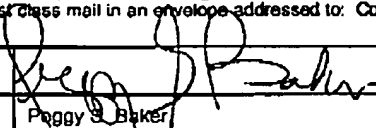
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated 3/10/2005, Applicant is hereby re-submitting the amendments to the claims in the above-styled case which have been corrected to be in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121.

Applicant believes this Amendment to now be in compliance and respectfully requests that the Amendment be entered.

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